Met Office Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 23 Apr 2022 until 23:59 on Sunday 24 Apr 2022

Forecast Issued on Friday 22 Apr 2022 at 14:21

Confidence: High for a windy weekend, but some uncertainty regarding the risk of showers on Saturday, especially how heavy they may become, as well as the coverage of cloud by the afternoon.

Headline for Saturday 23 Apr 2022: Windy and predominantly cloudy with a risk of showers.

Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 23 Apr 2022

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales Low Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms Low Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Partly cloudy (night)	Cloudy	Dull	Dull	Light rain showers	Heavy rain showers	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
00%	<05%	10%	20%	20%	30%	<05%	<05%

Forecast for Saturday 23 Apr 2022

Weather: A lot of cloud on Saturday, with a risk of showers, some of which could be heavy and perhaps thundery from late morning through to late afternoon. Some brighter spells possible towards dusk. Strong and gusty northeasterly winds continuing, making it feel chilly at height.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 20% through the morning, improving to 90% with the majority of summits expected to be clear through the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud with bases 400-600m through the morning, but the main cloud base lifting above the summits by the afternoon. Good visibility beneath the cloud base through the morning, becoming generally good in the afternoon, aside from temporary reductions in any heavier showers.

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Forecast for Saturday 23 Apr 2022

Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	19/25 NE	18/23 NE	21/27 NE	21/28 NE	22/29 NE	21/31 NE	21/30 NE	22/30 NE	23/31 NE
300	10/21 E	9/18 E	11/24 NE	14/27 NE	15/29 NE	14/28 NE	14/28 NE	13/27 NE	13/25 NE
Valley	9/20 E	6/15 E	12/27 NE	14/29 NE	15/31 NE	12/27 NE	13/28 NE	12/27 NE	11/24 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	3/-2	4/-1	5/-0	6/2	8/3	8/4	8/4	6/1	4/-2
300	6/2	6/3	7/4	9/6	11/8	11/8	11/8	8/5	7/3
Valley	6/4	6/4	8/4	10/7	12/9	12/9	12/9	9/6	8/5
Freezing Level*	1500m	1600m	1500m	1600m	1600m	1600m	1600m	1600m	1700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Sheltered valleys may well feel quite pleasant, but it will feel much colder in the strong and gusty winds at height, especially in conjunction with any showers through the afternoon.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
14:00 on Thu 21 Apr 2022	0mm	0mm	0.2mm

Forecast for Sunday 24 Apr 2022

Weather: A largely dry day with variable amounts of cloud and some sunny spells. Still quite windy, but a little less so than on Saturday. Still a considerable wind chill at height.

Maximum wind: Northeasterly, 30 mph gusting 40 mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: >90%

Low cloud and visibility: Whilst there will be some cloudy periods at times, bases should remain above the summits. Good visibility expected at all levels throughout the day.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 5 Celsius rising to Plus 15 Celsius by the afternoon.
At 600m: Plus 6 to Plus 8 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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